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Sir:

In the matter of the above-identified application, applicant is submitting herewith for the Examiner's consideration copies of the English language Translation of the International Preliminary Report on Patentability in the related International Application Nos. PCT/CH2004/000080; PCT/CH2004/000079 and PCT/CH2005/000071. Copies of the documents referred to in the International Preliminary Report on Patentability in Application No. PCT/CH2004/000080 and PCT/CH2004/000079 are also enclosed to the extent these were not previously cited in Applicant's Information Disclosure Statement filed August 11, 2006. These documents are listed on the enclosed Form PTO-1449. The documents referred to in the

International Preliminary Report on Patentability in International Application No. PCT/CH2005/00071 were cited in the Information Disclosure Statement filed August 11, 2006.

This information disclosure statement is being submitted within three months of the date of issuance of the International Preliminary Report on Patentability dated October 4, 2006 and before a first action on the merits in the above-identified application. The relevance of the cited documents, including the non-English language documents is noted in the English language translations of the Reports on Patentability.

It is respectfully requested that this information disclosure statement be considered by the Examiner.

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